

March, 2019 Newsletter

Town of Berwyn Heights

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Dear Residents and Friends of Berwyn Heights:

March is already here and so is budget season! Your council is working hard to make decisions to ensure that Berwyn Heights remains the best town in the State of Maryland.

If you have any suggestions, ideas, and/or comments regarding the budget and/or anything else, we encourage you to reach out to us or attend one of our work sessions or Town meeting.

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NEW COUNCILMEMBER APPOINTED

On January 15, the Town Council appointed **Jeffrey Jay Osmond** to fill the vacant Council seat left by the resignation of Mayor White. Mr. Osmond is a 17-year resident of Berwyn Heights and long serving Boys & Girls Club volunteer. As a soccer coach and track commissioner for the last 10 years, he has taught Berwyn Heights youth not only specific sporting skills but sought to instill life lessons about diet, exercise and teamwork.

In his day job, Mr. Osmond is a Regional Coordinator for the General Services Administration. He is also a Commander in the United States Navy Reserve's Civil Engineer Corps.

We look forward to having him on the Council to help govern our Town.



Upcoming Events

March 23

Budget Work Session, All Day
Council Chambers

March 30

Rain Garden Planting Picnic, 12pm
Outside the Town Hall

April 5

Trivia Night, 7pm – 9pm
Town Center, 2nd Floor

May 4

Berwyn Heights Day, All Day

Work sessions are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month.

Town Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month.

No Plastic Bags in Your Recycling Bins

Dear Residents,

We need your help keeping our town clean and green! When recycling please do not place plastic bags in your designated containers. Prince George's County's Materials Recycling Facility does not accept plastic bags because they cause machinery malfunctions. We ask that you place only loose recyclable items in your blue bins. ***Effective Monday, April 15th, 2019***, failure to comply will result in progressive actions, to include rejection of loads, the issuing of a warnings and finally citations. We encourage you to recycle your plastic bags at local grocery stores and other participating retailers. For more information on acceptable and unacceptable items to recycle please [click here](#).



Estimados residentes,

¡Necesitamos su ayuda para mantener nuestra ciudad limpia y verde! Al reciclar, no coloque bolsas de plástico en los recipientes designados. La planta de reciclaje de materiales del condado de Prince George no acepta bolsas de plástico porque causan fallas en la maquinaria. Le pedimos que solo coloque artículos reciclables sueltos en sus contenedores azules. ***A partir del lunes 15 de abril de 2019***, el incumplimiento dará lugar a acciones progresivas que incluirán el rechazo de cargas, la emisión de advertencias y, finalmente, las citas. Aquellos que deseen reciclar sus bolsas de plástico pueden hacerlo en las tiendas de comestibles locales y en otras tiendas participantes. Para obtener más información sobre los elementos aceptables e inaceptables para reciclar, [haga clic aquí](#).

Berwyn Heights Day is Coming!

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**Sat. May. 4th, ALL DAY - Sports Park /
Town Center**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Fun Run!	Pancake Breakfast!	Parade!
Senior Bake Sale!	Kids Rides/Activities!	
Vendors!	Games!	Food!
Music!	&	More!

**CALLING ALL TOWN GROUPS AND LOCAL
ORGANIZATIONS:**

Want to be in our BH Day Parade?

**Enter your group's Float (or presentation)
for a chance at a CASH PRIZE!**

Contact Susan Jones for more details!